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Reply To: 3460/3410

Date: November 5, 1993

Mr. Greg Mollenkopf U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Attn: CENAB-OP-PN P.O. Box 1715 Baltimore, MD 21203

Dear Greg:

On October 26, 1993, USDA Forest Service personnel conducted a gypsy moth egg mass survey at Raystown Lake. This U.S. Army Corps of Engineers project is planning to treat three areas with a single application of $\underline{\text{Bacillus}}$ thuringiensis ($\underline{\text{B.t.}}$) in 1994.

The results of the survey are presented in Table 1. The survey plot locations and the proposed treatment areas are shown in Figures 1a-1c. In brief, egg mass densities averaged 776, 532, and 133 egg masses per acre, respectively in the proposed treatment blocks at Ridenour Overlook, Susquehannock and Nancy's Boat to Shore. Since defoliation is likely at Ridenour Overlook and Susquehannock, treatment is recommended at these two sites. No treatment is necessary at Nancy's Boat to Shore since no noticeable defoliation is likely to occur.

If you have any questions or need further information, please call me at (304) 285-1555.

Sincerely.

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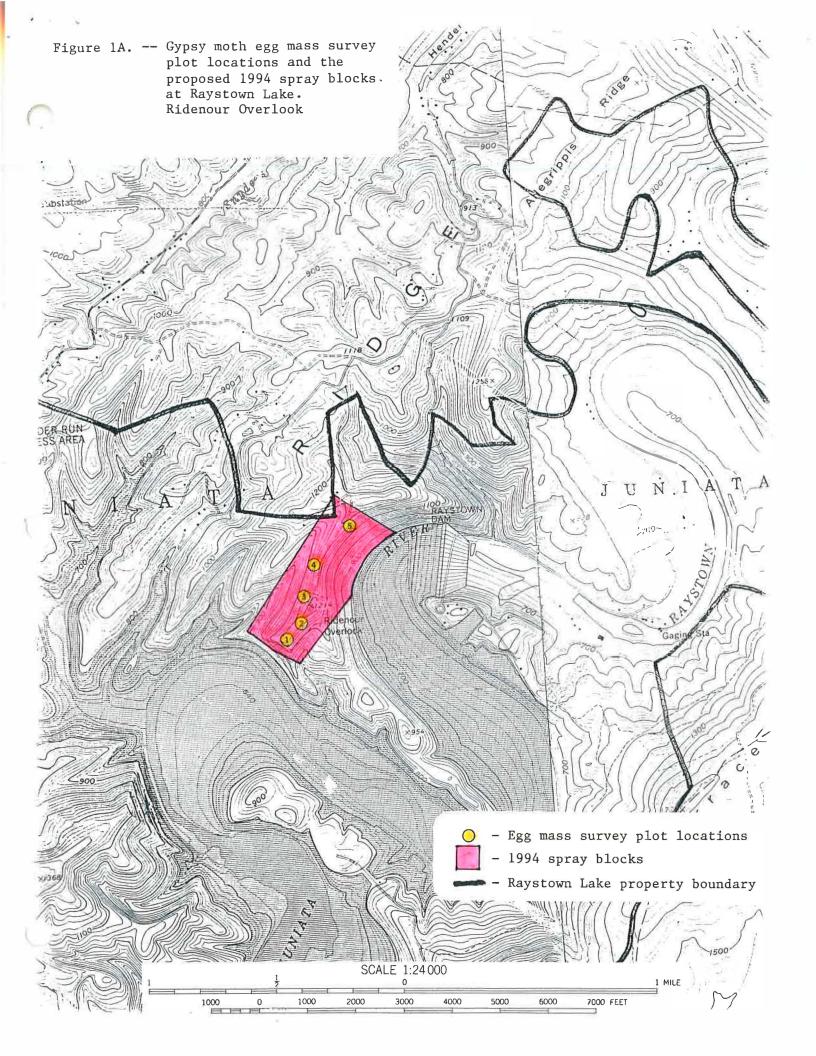
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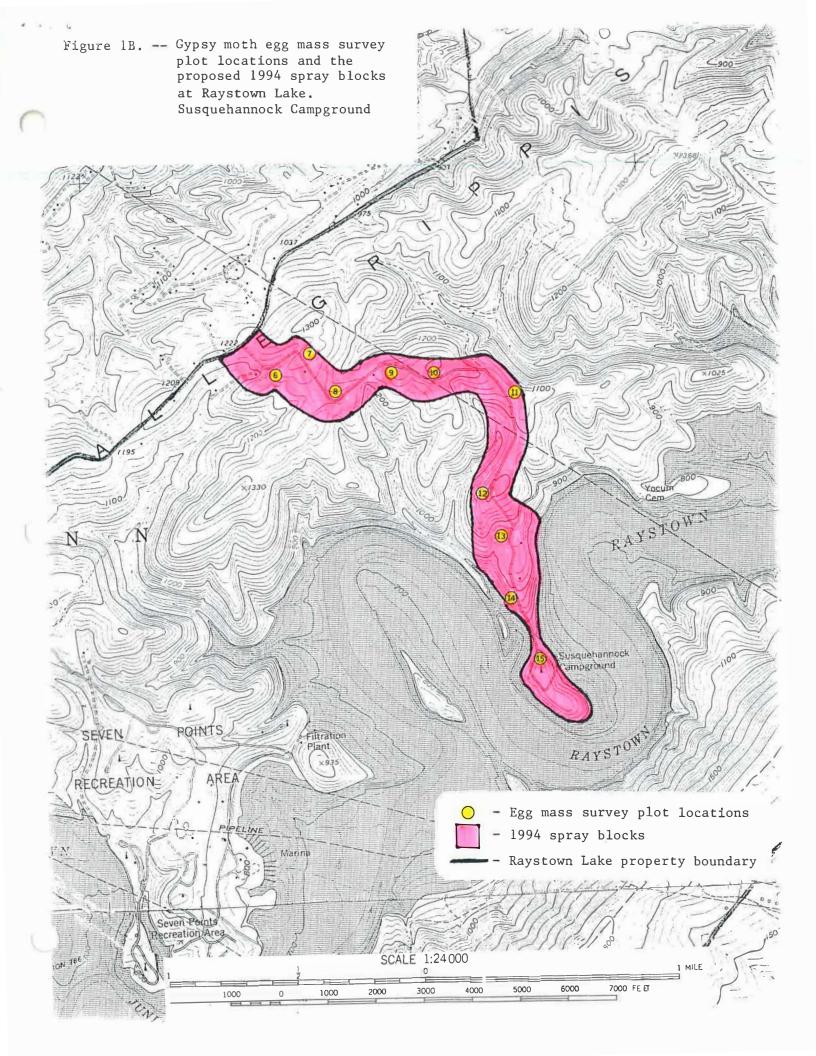
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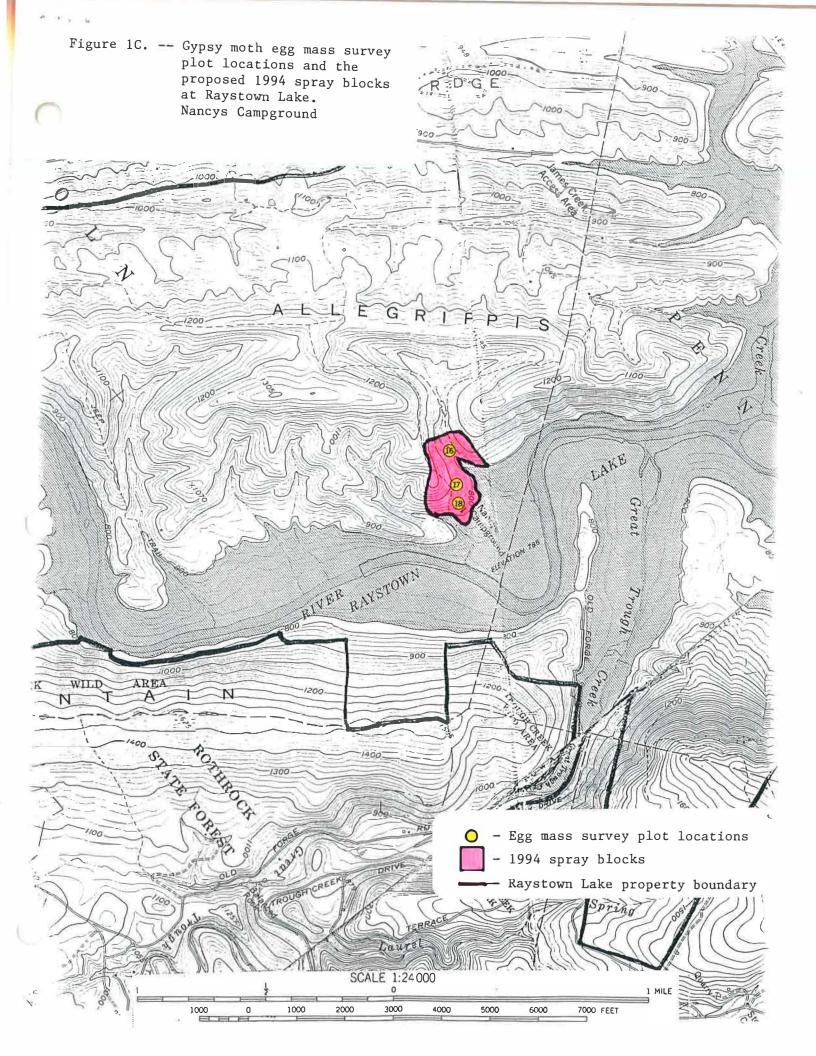


Table 1.--Gypsy moth egg mass survey results at Raystown Lake, October 26, 1993.

Plot Number	Number Egg Masses/Acre	Proposed Treatment Block
1	160	Ridenour Overlook
2	0	
3 4	440	
4	2040	
5	1240	
Range	0-2040	
Average	776	
6	40	Susquehannock
	80	242440
7 8 9	80	
9	360	
10	1200	
11	3000	
12	120	
13	400	
14	40	
15	0	
Range	0-3000	
Average	532	
16	240	Negovia Book to Observe
	40 40	Nancy's Boat to Shore
17 18	120	
	40-240	
Range Average	133	
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Date: November 8, 1993

Mr. Richard Stewart
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Dear Rich:

On October 9, 1993, USDA Forest Service personnel conducted a gypsy moth egg mass survey at Goddard Space Flight Center. The purpose of the survey was to determine gypsy moth population densities and to assess the potential for defoliation and the need for treatment in 1994.

The results of the survey are presented in Table 1. The survey plot locations are shown in Figure 1. In brief, egg mass densities ranged from 0-80 and averaged 11 egg masses per acre. No noticeable defoliation is expected at Goddard Space Flight Center so treatment is not necessary in 1994.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please call me at (304) 285-1555.

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Table 1.--Gypsy moth egg mass survey results at Goddard Space Flight Center, October 9, 1993.

Plot Number	Number Egg Masses/Acre
1	40
2	0
3	0
4	0
5	40
6	0
7	0
8	0
9	0
10	0
11	80
12	0
13	0
14	0
15	0

Range = 0-80 EM/Acre Average = 11 EM/Acre

